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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

20 CR 301-7 (PKC)

-against-

**ORDER** 

MARIO RODRIGUEZ,

Defendant.

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P. KEVIN CASTEL, U.S.D.J.

Upon the application of defense counsel, consented to by the government, the plea hearing previously scheduled for November 1, 2023 is adjourned until November 16, 2023 at 2:00 p.m. in Courtroom 11D because of the inability to provide handicapaccessible transportation for the defendant. I find that the ends of justice will be served by granting a continuance and that taking such action outweighs the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. My reasons for this finding are that the grant of the continuance is needed to allow time to provide handicap-accessible transportation for the defendant. Accordingly, the time between November 1 and November 16, 2023 is excluded.

SO ORDERED.

United States District Judge

Dated: New York, New York November 3, 2023